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the Registered Office of the Company, No. NEW YORK :- ANDREW WIND, 21, Park 9. Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 4th day of April, at 4.30 SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally: - Bean & Black, San Fran-Should the Resolution be passed by the required majority it will be submitted for

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND: -Gordon & Goren, Melbourne and Sydney. CEYLON :- W. M. SMITH & Co., THE APOTHECARIES Co., Colombo. SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.:—SAYLE &

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Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING GORPORATION.

Reserve Fund,.......\$4,300,000 RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- \$ \$7,500,000 PRIETORS.....

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-W. H. Forbes, Esq. Deputy Chairman-H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq. Hon. JOHN BELL- | S. C. MICHAELSEN, IRVING. W. G. BRODIE, Esq. J. S. Moses, Esq. T. E. DAVIES, Esq. | L. POESNECKER, Esq. J. F. HOLLIDAY, Esq. N. A. Siebs, Esq. Hon. B. LAYTON. E. A. SOLOMON, Esq.

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HONGKONG. INTERRST ALLOWED. N Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per annum on the daily balance.

On Fixed Deposits:— For 3 months, 3 per cent. per amount. 4 per cent. n 5 per cent. "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Oredits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. G. E. NOBLE.

· Ohief Manager. Hougkong, March 8, 1889.

NOTICE

TO ULES OF THE HONGKONG

1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10

2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. N depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. 3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having

\$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 4.—Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on

their daily balances. 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or with drawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their l'ass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and begin

6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

7. - Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book For the

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. G. E. NOBLE.

Chief Manager. Hongkong, January 1, 1889.

Intimations.

No. 7, WYNDHAM STREET. TOOARD AND RESIDENCE. COMFORTABLE HOME FOR SINGLE GENTLEMEN. Moderate Terms.

Mrs. KJELLER Promietress.

Hongkong, January 26, 1889. THE OHINA & JAPAN TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CENTRAL EXCHANGE 13, PRAYA CENTRAL.

THE above Company's EXCHANGE is NOW OPEN for Telephonic Communication. Rate of Subscription is \$80 per Annum,

payable quarterly in advance. Electrical Material of all descriptions kept in stock for Sale. ELECTRIC BELLS a speciality.

Houses fitted up and kept in order at most Moderate Prices. TELEPHONE MATERIAL supplied on Bale or Hire. AGENTS for ELECTRIC LIGHTING. both ARC and INCANDESCENT, Estimates furnished free.

H. F. HAYLLAR, Acting Agent. Hongkong, September 20, 1888.

Intimations.

SAMANTAN MINING COM-

PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-

ORDINARY General MEETING of

MINING COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at

o'Clock in the Afternoon, when the sub-

Confirmation as a Special Resolution to :

Second Extraordinary Meeting which will

RESOLUTION.

That the Capital of the Company be in-

creased to the sum of \$600,000 legally

carrent in the Colony of Hongkong by

the creation of 20,000 New Shares of

\$10 each. Subject to any direction to

the contrary that may be given by the

Meeting assistioning the increase of

Cepital, all New Shares shall be offered

to the Members registered on the Day

of the Confirmation of the Resolution

in proportion to existing Shares held

by them, and such offer shall be made

by notice specifying the number of

Shares to which the Member is entitled

and limiting a time within which the

offer if not accepted will be deemed to

be declined, and after the expiration of

such time or on the receipt of an in-

tination from the Member to whom

accept the Shares offered, such Shares

shall be dealt with by the Directors in

A. O'D. GOURDIN.

Secretary.

Dated the 22nd day of March, 1889.

MENTLEMAN of experience would

T erect and work factory for SOAP.

SODA and CANDLES (lucrative business),

Modem experience, unexceptionable refer-

LETTERS PATENT.

In the Matter of the Petition of WILLIAM

ORR AND PETER STUART BROWN,

both of No. 109, Saint Vincent Street

Glasgow, in the County of Lanark,

for LETTERS PATENT, for the ex-

clasive use within the Colony of Hong-

kong, of an Invention for 'Improve

ments in Metal Sheets, in securing or

fastening sections of such sheets to-

gether and in means therefor, the said

Improvements being applicable to the

Construction of Buildings, covered

and other Valueles, close fencing and

other purposes,' for which Her Majes-

ty's ROYAL LETTERS PATENT WORD

TOTICE is hereby given that the Peti-

in tion, Specification and Declaration,

required herein by Ordinance No. 14 of

the Colonial Secretary of Hongkong, and

that it is the intention of the said William

ORR and PETER STUART BROWN, by HENRY

LARDNER DENNYS, their duly-authorized

of the Executive Council hereinafter men-

tioned for LETTERS PATENT for the

exclusive use within the said Colony of

Honglong of the above-named Invention.

come for decision, will be held in the Coun-

cil Clamber, at the Government Offices

TUITION IN FRENCH.

N / DLLE. MAILLARD begs to intimate

FRENOH, GRAMMATICAL, CONVER-

Terms on application 3, West Terrace.

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NOTICE.

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The Natural Mineral Waters of

GRANDE-GRILLE .- For Affections of the

CELESTINS. -- For the Kidneys, Gravel, Gout Rheumatism, Diabetes, &c.

HAUTERIYE .- An excelient TABLE WATER.

OFALL CHEMISTS IN AUSTRALASIA.

HOPITAL, For Stomach Complaints.

Liver, Biliary Organs, &c.

General Agents.

REFINERY at East Point.

Hongkong, July 27, 1885.

overy flower that " 1

that she will give Lessons in

WILLIAM ORR AND PETER

STUART BROWN,

HENRY LARDNER DENNYS.

their Agent and Attorney.

9th day of April, at 11 a.m.

60, Queen's Road Central,

Hongkong, 27th March, 1889.

SATIONAL or LITERARY.

Hougkong, April 1, 1889.

Agent and Attorney, to apply at the sitting

STUART BROWN.

ganted on the 19th day of May, 1889,

ences. Manufacturer, co Goution &

their discretion.

Goren, Melbourne

By Order of the Board,

such notice is given that he declines to

joined Resolution, will be proposed.

be subsequently convened.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3, 1889.

Established February,

1848.

CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED.

Gentlemen's

Spring and Summer

THE LARGEST FASHIONABLE STOCK

Hongkong, March 8, 1889.

FURNISHING DEPARTMENT JUST RECEIVED.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

NI EW Stock of ELECTRO-PLATED WARE, consisting of; - CRUETS, BUTTER DISHES, PRESERVE and Pickle Jars. Cand Trays. Napkin Rings, Fruit Dishes, &c., &c. CROCKERY WARE in great variety: Totlet Sets, Dinner Services, Tea and Coffee CUP. HOT WATER JUGS, CHEESE DISHES, &c. &c. New Fancy GLASS WARE for WHATNOTS and OVER MANTELS. LIPSCOMBE'S FILTERS, GLASS TABLE FILTERS, Also, NEW DESIGNS IN CRETONNES, EGYPTIAN and ART CURTAIN MUSLINS. FANCY FURNITURE FRINCES, CIMPS, CORDS, CURTAIN BINDINGS, CUSHION CORDS, Tassels, &c., &c.

W. POWELL & Co.

VIOTORIA EXCHANGE, March 27, 1889.

large Dining Hall.

Hongkong, April 3, 1889.

Victoria Hotel.

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

[111] Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within See minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horkes in the place. The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been reformshed in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and sorred in the spacious.

The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, RILLIARD and SMORING ROOMS. The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken

Mosers, DORABJEE & HING KEE,

Hongkong, September 16, 1886.

Tailors, Hatlers, Shirtmakers and Gentlemen's Outfitters. TTAVE RECEIVED THEIR SECOND DELIVERY to the said WILLIAM ORR AND PETER | WINTER COATINGS, TWEED AND DRESS SUITINGS,

TROUSERINGS, AND ULSTER TWEEDS.

A Very Stylish Selection.

OUR OUTFITTING STOCK IS ALSO COMPLETE IN SEASONABLE GOODS. 1862, have been duly filed in the Office of Queen's Road (opposite Hongrone Hotel), Hongkong, January 14, 18:9

Intimations.

VICTORIA PUBLIC SCHOOL, **УОКОНАМА.**

THIS SCHOOL, situated in a very And, NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that healthy position on the BLUFF, proa sitting of the Executive Council, before vides good EDUCATION FOR BOYS from whom the matter of the said Petition will 8 to 17. Boarders taken. Prospectus with Office of this Paper. C. H. HINTON, M.A., Oxon, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the

Head Master. THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY, COMPANY, LIMITED.

NTOTICE is hereby given that the Statutory General MEETING of the Company required to be held within four months after registration will be held at the OVER 1,000 DOLLARS TO BE GIVEN Company's REGISTERED OFFICE in Victoria Buildings, No. 7, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the And Notice is further given that an EX-TRAORDINARY General MEETING of

6th April next, at 12 o'Clock Noon. the Company will be held at the same place, on the same day, at 12.15 c'Clock p.m., 621 when the following Special Resolutions will be proposed, viz.:—

1.—That the Capital of the Company bo increased to the sum of \$5,000,000 by the issue of 25,000 New Shares of \$100 each, on which New Shares a First Call of \$50 per Share shall be paid as hereinafter provided, and the balance of \$50 per Share shall be payable in such amounts, at such times, and on such conditions as the Board may determine, and that the Board be authorised to issue such New Shares at such a premium (not exceeding \$50 per cent.) as it may think fit, such premium to be paid on Allotment.

2.—That of such New Shares 12,500, or (as the case may be) a number comprising, or equivalent to, One New Share for every complete number of two existing shares, be offered to the persons who on the 2nd day MOR the Convenience of Customers, the of May, 1889, shall be the registered share-Productions of the 'CHINA SUGAR holders of the existing shares, in the pro-REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED, can hence- portion of one new share for every complete forward be obtained by RETAIL, FOR number of two existing shares, and such CASH, at No. 3, PEEL STREET, at the same offer shall be made by a notice specifying prices as at the REFINERY; or Retail the number of new shares which each such 161 Orders will be delivered at addresses in registered Shareholder shall be entitled to town on applicants forwarding their Monthly take up, and limiting a time within which Requirements in writing direct to the the offer, if not accepted in writing, will be deemed to be not accepted. The First Call of \$50 on every such accepted share shall be paid at the time of acceptance, and all such non-accepted shares, and also the remainder (if any) of the said 12,500 New Shares, shall be disposed of in such a manner, at such

times, and on such conditions as the Board may determine. 3.—That the remaining 12,500 New Shares be offered to the Public in such a manner, at such times, and on such conditions as the Board may determine, but so that the First Call of \$50 per Share on these remaining 12,500 shares shall be paid on A plication.

4.—That all premis on the said New Shares be carried to the Reserve Fund mentioned in Article No. 98 of the Company's Articles of Association.

ALEXAND R LEVY. Secretary (pro. tem.) Hongkong, March 27, 1889.

Intimations. HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION

SPOON COMPETITION.

600 YARDS, 10 SHOTS.

WILL take place NEXT SATURDAY, 6th April, at 4 o'Clock p.m. Car bines will be allowed One Shot Extra. A. SHELTON HOOPER.

Hon. Secretary. Hougkong, April 1, 1889.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. SEVENTH PRIZE MEETING.

IN PRIZES. 1110 be held on FRIDAY, SATURDAY,

and MONDAY, 19th, 20th and 22nd Pools, Sweepstakes, and several Events open to All Comers. Programmes and all particulars on appli-

Persons desirous of joining the Association should send in their names at once. A. SHELTON HOOPER, How. Secretary, c/o Hongkong Club,

Hongkong, April 1, 1889.

NOTICE,

T HEREBY inform Buyers of Preserves, Soy, &c., that of late several fraudulent imitations of my Brand CHY-LOONG have been offered for Sale and that no Goods will be genuine Chy-Loong Pre-SERVES, unless the following Label is found in the boxes:-CHY-LOONG,

DEALER IN SWEETMEATS: SOY AND ALL KINDS OF CANTON PRESERVES, No. 34, Old China Street.

An attempt has been made by a person in Hongkong to paim off upon persons purchasing sweetmeats for Export an inferior article upon which he places my name in order to deceive those who may purchase: thereby injuring my former reputation. This is to inform my old customers that there has been no change made in my manufacture from the former ones, and that my sweetmeats can be obtained at no other place than where it has been made for the past 50 years at No. 34, Old China Street. Parties residing abroad should be particular, when giving orders, to purchase of no others who bear my name as they are of inferior quality.

CANTON, 5th December, 1851. And on Casks my seal, CHY-LOONG. CANTON, with a ROOSTER will be found on the Corks.

I also beg to notify that I have no Agency in Hongkony, nor is anybody entrusted with the sale of my Goods there.

CHY-LOONG. Honam, Gunton. Shipping.

W REUBEN GUBBAY & PARTNER STEAM TO YOKOBAMA, VIA NAGA SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.)

Hongkong, March 30, 1889. STEAM TO MANILA VIA AMOY.

Hongkong, March 16, 1889. The Steamship THE STRAITS INSURANCE COM-PANY, LIMITED. THE STRAITS FIRE INSURANCE

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., at this Port. Hongkong, April 1, 1889. By Order of the Board of Directors,

ROBERT BAIRD. Hongkong, April 1, 1819.

STEAMSHIP IRAQUADDY.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

their risk at the Company's Godowns at Bowrington, whence delivery may be ob-

tained immediately after landing. ing it to be landed here.

the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after FRI-DAY, the 5th April, 1889, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges at

before Saturday, the 6th April, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. or CHAMPEAUX.

Agent. Hongkong, March 29, 1889. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

No Fire Insurance has been effected

Ex Ebre and Djemnah. 48 (in parall.) B) Nos. 69/61 = Two cases WOOLLENS, from London, consigned 47 (in dia.) to Order.

THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL

AND SINGAPORE.

LIMITED, Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all FOR Claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned, before Noon on the 6th April, or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 6th April at 4 p.m.:

any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 6th April will be subject to rent. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 10 B m. To-DAY.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.' Steamship. Teheran will leave for the above

E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent.

Captain Talbor, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 4th Instant, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY

LIMITED. FOR PORT-DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE,

VIA KUDAT AND SANDAKAN. The Co.'s Steamship Chingtu. Hunt, Commander, will be despatched as above

on THURSDAY, the 4th Prox., at 4 p.m. The attention of Passengers is directed

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, March 29, 1889.

THE GIBB LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS LAND PORTS, and taking through, Cargo for DELAIDE, TASMANIA, NEW ZEALAND, &c.)

The British Steamer Captain Roy, will be despatched as above on or about the 7th Proximo. Fare to Sydney or Melbourne, \$150. For Freight or Passage, apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Managers.

Hougkong, March 21, 1889. CEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-OHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE,)

The Co.'s Steamship Laertes. Captain Scale, will be despatched as above on SUNDAY, the 7th Proximo. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, March 29, 1889. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG, The Steamship Flintshire,
Captain Dwyes, will be
despatched for the above Ports on or about the 7th April. This Steamer has superior Passenger Accommodation.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkoney, March 27, 1880

HAMBURG. (Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER DAM, LONDON, LIVERPOOL and BREMEN.)

SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND

Prigga,
Captain F. Nagel, will
be despatched for the The Steamahin above Ports on MONDAY, the 8th Inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to

SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Shipping.

Steamers. OUEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE. The Co.'s Steamship 3 Captain Jackson, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 8th Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE Hongkong, April 1, 1889.

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA

(FLORIO & RUBATTINO UNITED COMPANIES. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG & BOMBAY, Having connection with Company's Mail Steamers, to ADEN, SUEZ, PORTSAID, MESSINA, NAPLES, (LEGHORN), and GENOA; all Mediterranean, ADRIATIC, LEVANTINE and SOUTH AMERI-

CAN PORTS, up to CALLAO. Taking Cargo at through rates to PERSIAN GULF and BAGDAD. The Co.'s Steamship Bisagno
will be despatched as
above on or about the 9th Instant, at Noon.

At BOMBAY the Steamers are discharging n Victoria's Door. For further Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co.,

Hongkong, April 1, 1889.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, HODEIDAH, MASSANA, SUARIM JEDDAH, SUEZ, PORT SAID,

RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT and ADRIATIC PORTS.) The Co.'s Steamship Pandora. Capt. G. Costanzo, will be despatched as above

CUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF.

and Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, Praya Central.

Hongkong, April 1, 1889.

LIQUIDATION. NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

6rm DIVIDEND of 61 % on all OLAIMS against the Hongkong BRANCH Of THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORAtion, which have been approved by the Court of Chancery, will be paid at the

THE 18TH MAROH NEXT. CREDITORS are requested to apply to the Bank for their Dividends and to produce the letter they hold from the Official Liquidator, admitting their Claims, in order that the Payment of the 6th Dividend may

PAYMENT OF FINAL DIVIDEND IN

THE OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR by arrangement with THE ASSETS REALISATION Co. is prepared to Pay IN ADVANCE to CREDITORS willing to receive such Payment IN FULL DISCHARGE OF THEIR CLAIMS the Dividend of 5 % payable in the year 1890, UNDER A DISCOUNT OF FIVE TWELFTHS PER CENT. CREDITORS who are willing to accept Payment of the Final Dividend less discount as above are requested to communicate with the Undersigned BEFORE THE END OF THE CURRENT MONTH.

> Agent for the Official Liquidator, Oriental Bank Corporation in Liquidation.

E. W. RUTTER.

AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL,......82,500,000. PAID-UP CAPITAL,..... 1,250,000

MR. E A. SOLOMON. Mr. J. S. MOSES. Mr. S. C. MICHARLSEN. MR. G. E. NOBLE MR. LKE SING Mr. POUN PONG.

Bonkers :

of Hongkong and its Dependencies, the arms Purchases and Cales of Property, to advance monies on Mortgage, to undertake the Management and Agency of Estates, and generally to carry on any Business in connection with Landed Property, The fullest information can be had on application at the Company's OFFICES, NO.

Victoria Buildings,

Hougkong, 28th Murch, 1889,

Business Notices.

TAILORING AND OUTFITTING DEPARTMENTS.

Seasons.

EVER IMPORTED TO HONGKONG.

Special attention given to Out-port and Post Orders.

Notices of Firms. NOTICE.

TXIE have This Day admitted Mr. in our Firm. BENJAMIN & DANBY. Hongkong, April 1, 1889. THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMPTED.

NOTICE.

HROM this date, and during the Absence of Mr. Jas. B. Coughtrie from the Colony, Mr. George Lomen Tomus has been Appointed ACTING SECRETARY to P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, the Company. P. RYRIE, Chairman.

COMPANY, LIMITED. T HAVE This Day assumed Charge of the Agencies of the above Companies

Notices to Consignees.

MARITIMES.

/ 10NSIGNEES of Cargo from London, to the Superior Accommodation offered by Antwerp and Havre ex Steamships this Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabins Guadiana and Tamisc, and from Bordeaux ex are situated forward of the Engines. Steamships Frederic Morel and Leroy Lattier, Second-class Passengers are berthed in the in connection with the above Steamer, Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures are hereby informed that their Goods- the supply of Fresh Provisions during the with the exception of Opium, Treasure and entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is Valuables-are being landed and stored at carried,

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees before 10 a.m., To-DAY (Friday), request-Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

one cent per packet per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me on or

MONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, March 28, 1889.

HE Company's S.S. Kaisow, having arrived from the above Ports. Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY,

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, April I, 1869.

Steamers.

places on THURSDAY, the 4th April, at

BRINDISI, TRIESTE & VENICE. (Taking Cargo at through rates to CAL-

> on THURSDAY, the 11th Inst., at Noon. For further Particulars, regarding Freight

> > O. BAUHRAOH,

Intimations. ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN

PAYMENT OF 6TH DIVIDEND.

Offices of the New Oriental Bank Corpora-TION, LIMITED, on and after MONDAY, be endorsed thereon.

ADVANCE UNDER DISCOUNT.

QUEEN'S ROAD. Hongkong, February 6, 1889. THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND

Board of Directors ; Hon. J. BELL-IRVING, CHAIRMAN.

HE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION. THE Objects for which this Company are I formed are to transact in the Colony

7, Queen's Road Central. ALEXANDER LEVY.

Secretary (Pro. tem.)

course, be a demand for Chinese tea, but

unless China endeayours to compete in

profit much by the increased consump-

tion. The fact that Chinese hand-made

of 12,000 tons may be worth the attention

of foreign merchants. It is consumed

mostly by Chinese in foreign countries, and

For Sale.

FOR SALE,

TULES MUMM CHAMPAGNE, Quarts\$20 per Case of 1 doz. Dubos Frères & de Gernon & Co.'s BORDEAUX CLARETS AND

WHITE WINES. Baxtor's Celebrated 'Barloy Bree' WHISKY, -\$71 per Case of 1 doz. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, July 18, 1884.

Insurances. QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-

TIHE Undersigned, AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates. NORTON & Co.,

PANY.

Hongkong, July 15, 1887 NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are authorized to insure against FIRE at Current Rates. GILMAN & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1882.

Intimations.

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To-day's Advertisements. Tonningsen, Shanghai March 30, General. Bangkok March 25th, and Koh-si-

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY; del, Saigon March 30, Rico. - Siemssen & LIMITED.

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Steamship Kashgar will leave for the above places on SATURDAY, 6th Inst., at Noon. E. L. WOODIN,

Superintendent. Hongkong, April 3, 1889.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Japan having arrived I from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Hongkone and Kowleen Wharf and GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns, at West Point, whence delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 9th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are hereby informed, that

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BHIPPING

ARRIVALS. April 2, 1889 :--J. pan, British steamer, 1,865, T. Jardner, Calcutta March 16. Penung 24 and Singapore 27, Opium and General.-DAVID SARSOON, SONS & Co.

Laucelot, British steamer, 1,364, J. Dulley, London February 12, and Singapore March 27. General.—Russell & Co. Recorder, British steamer, 676, C. O. China-Borneo Company, Limited 7,500 3 Madge, from a cruise March 17, Cable,-E. E. & A. T. Co.

Hongkong Land Investment and 3 25,000 \$ Pakshan, British str., 835, Stoyel, Bang. kok March 25, Rice. — Llop Hing Hone. Halloong, British steamer, 783, J. S Roach, Foochow March 31, Amoy April 1, and Swatow 2, General. - Douglas STEAM.

Fangling Gorman steamer, 814, C. N.

Ashington, German steamer, 809, C. Zin-

DEPARTURES. April 3 :--Thales, for Coast Ports. Yangisé, for Europe, &c. Kutsang, for Whampon. Yangisze, for Whampon. Kwany Lee, for Shanghai. Kwongsang, for Tientsin. Chow Fa, for Swatow and Bangkok.

CLEARED. inton, for Hothow and Pakhoi. Pactolus, for New York.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED. Per Japan, from Calcutta, &c , Mrs T. S. Gardner, Mr and Mrs Ralli, Miss Wanson, Miss Godfrey, Messrs Lorminie, Aitchison, Nelson and Rottonburch, 4 Indians 423 Chinese, 54 women and 18 children. Per Lancelot, from Singapore, 121 Chi

Per Hailoong, from Coast Ports, Mr and Mrs Phua Lung, and 167 Chinese. Per Yangter, from Shanghai, Mr Hagon, and 14 Chinese. Per Ashington, from Saigon, 30 Chinese.

Per Yangtse, from Hongkong: for Marseilles, Messrs l'Abbé Van Koot, l'Abbé Scarella, J. A. Mosely, Mr and Mrs J. Reiser and 2 children, Mr and Mrs Springli 1 child, Mr and Mrs A. Godwin and 1 child, Capt. G. M. Macdonagh, Messrs Gambert, Miller, Clover and Cartoux, Mrs Bettina Capozzi, Mr Dougles Parker, and 12 Chinese. From Shanghai : for Suez, Mr A. Vakovich; for Port Said, Mr and Mrs Batoeff; for Marseilles, Mr and Mrs L. Simpson, 4 infants and maid, Count Aubert, Mrs Mansefield and 2 infants, Mr V. Culmsce, l'Abbé Mareschal, Mrs Aitkin and infant, Mrs Mansofield's amah, and Mr P. Genin. From Yokohama for Marseilles, Lieut, S. Hishima, General Osawa, Colonel S. Oshima, Capt. Onychara, and Mr Nakashima. From Kobe: for Marseilles, Messrs Ch. Walsh and Dobbeling.

Per Kwang Lee, for Shanghai, 150 Chi-Per Thales, for Swatow, Mr and Mrs Cardross Grant and maid, Miss Bostock, Messrs T. W. Richardson, R. Richardson, and Miss Richardson; for Amoy, Mr T. F. Hughes; for Taiwanfoo, Messrs W. Bain,

H. Kopsch, and A. Myles. Per Kwongsang, for Tientsin, 5 Chinese. To DEPART. Per Anton, for Hollow, 1 European, and and 200 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS

The British steamer Japan reports After leaving Singapore, experienced fine weather up to Paracels; thence to lat. 21' N., light Southerly winds; and thence to arrival, fresh N. E. winds, and thick weather and rain. At 7 p.m., anchored outside Green Island, on account of thick weather. The British steamer Lancelot reports: Had light variable airs and calms, all the way from Singapore, till morning of the 3rd, when we had heavy rains and fresh Northerly breeze and heavy cloudy weather. The British steamer Pakshan reports:

and clear weather to Cape Varela; thence to port, fresh to light Southerly winds and

clear weather. The British steamer Hailoung reports: From Foschow towards Amoy, had variable winds and heavy rain showers. From Amoy towards Swatow, had strong North-Easterly winds and overcast sky. From Swatow towards port, fresh North-Easterly winds and overcastsky. Steamer in Foochow, Namoa. In Amoy, H.M.S. Rattler. In Swatow, H.M.S. Alacrity, and steamer Formosa. The German steamer Yangisze reports; Had rainy and foggy weather, variable winds from port to port.

POST OFFICE NOTICES MAILS will close:-

For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA. Per Teheran, at 11.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 4th April.

For NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA & VANCOUVER B.O. -Per Abyssinia, at 11.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 4th inst. For AMOY & MANILA. -

Per Nanzing, at 2.30 p.m., on Thursday, the 4th inst. For KUDAT, SANDAKAN, PORT DAR. WIN, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. Per Chingtu, at 3.30 p.m., on Thursday,

the 4th inst. For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. Per Halloong, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the 4th inst.

For STRAITS & BOMBAY. Per Kashqar, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 6th inst. For SINGAPORE, --Per Frigga, at 3.30 p.m., on Monday,

the 8th inst. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET .-The United States Mail Packet Gaelic will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 9th Instant, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States. Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows :-

0.15 P.M. Registry ceases. 0.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET.-The British Contract Packet Ganges will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, tho 10th April, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyoud, via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing

the Mails, &c. MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET.— The German Contract Packet Preussen will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 13th Instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta,

&c. . &c. Registry ceases at 4 P.M. The Mail closes at 5 P.M. My Supplementary Mail, on Sunday, the 14th Instant, at 9 A.M.

Vessels Advertised as Loading.

۱	Destination.	Vessels.	Ayents.	Date of Leaving.
				
	Bremen, v. Singapore.	Preussen (s)	Norddeutscher Lloyd.	April 14, at 10 a.m.
	London and Hamburg	Flintshire (s)	Adamson, Bell & Co	About April 7.
	London, v. Suez Canal	Ganges (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co	
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ı	Manila, via Amoy		Russell & Co	1 4
•	Port Darwin, &c		Butterfield & Swire	
, ¦	S. Francisco, v. Y'hama		O. & O. S. S. Co	. • • •
١			Pacific Mail S. S. Co	
	Shanghai, via Amoy		Butterfield & Swire	
	Shanghai, Kobe & Y'ma		Adamson, Bell & Co	
1	S'pore, Havre & H'burg	Frigga (s)	Siemssen & Co	
1	S'pore, P'nang & B'bay		Carlowitz & Co	
ļ	Straits and Bombay		P. & O. S. N. Co	
j	S'tow, Amoy & F'chow		Douglas Lapraik & Co.	
١'	Sydney & Melbourne		Gibb, Livingston & Co.	
ij	Trieste, &c	•	O. Bachrach	•
į	Vancouver (B.C.), &c.		Adamson, Bell & Co	• •
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MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW,

Shipping. Noon.—Abyssinia leaves for Vancouver price with her rivals she cannot expect to (B.C.), via Yokohama, &c. Noon. Teheran leaves for Y'hama, &c. 3 p.m.—Nanzing leaves for Manila, &c. 4 p.m. - Chingtin leaves for Port Dark paper is experted to the extent win, &c.

Meeting. 4.30 p.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of The Punjoin & Sunghie Dua Samantan Mining Co., Ltd., at No. 9, Queen's Rd.

9 p.m.—Performance at the City Hall. General Memoranda. FRIDAY, April 5:--

after Noon subject to rent.

9 p.m.-Meeting of Zetland Lodge.

Amusements.

Goods per Steamer Iraniaddy unclaimed

SATURDAY, April 6:--Noon.-Meeting of H.K. Land Invest- English tonnage, as the following table ment & Agency Co., Ld., at No. 7, Queen's Road Central 12.15 p.m.—Extraordinary Meeting of H.K. Land Investment & Agency Co. 4 p.m.—Competition of the Hongkong Riflo Association. Goods per Kaisom undelivered after this

date subject to rent. 9 p.m.—Performance at the City Hall. Tuesday, April 9:---Goods per Japan undelivered after this date subject to rent.

FRIDAY, April 12:-4 p.m.—Tender for Hotel Debentures Monday, April 19 :-

Prize Meeting of H.K. Rifle Association VOL. XVII.-No. 4.

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THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY. March 11th, 1889. File publication of this issue commenced

One Onna Itlan.

desire in China to oust the foreigner from

this cotton trade. The new judge of the

Kwangtung province, in a memorial to the

Throne, laid great stress on the necessity of

Ohina establishing cotton factories; and it

would appear he has so gained the ear of

the Viceroy at Canton as to persuade the

latter to abandon the attempt of coining

money and go in for cotton-manufacture.

We doubt very much if such an in-

dustry, especially if it is under Govern-

ment control, will obtain a firm footing

in Canton or any other port in China; but

that the attempt is to be made shows how

anxious the Viceroy is to get rid of the for-

eigner and his goods. The Export trade

was more satisfactory. There was an in

crease from Tls. 85,500,208 in 1887 to Tls.

92,401, 67 in 1888. The increase, as far as

can be judged from Mr McKean's report,

would appear to be in miscellaneous articles.

Tea and silk, the staple exports, have remain-

ed stationary. The world is consuming year-

by year more tea, but India and Ceylon,

and not China, are reaping the benefits of

the expansion. There is even a shrinkage

in the export to certain countries, princi-

pally England. By superiority of quality

Chinese teas may long maintain the leading

place, but if Indian and Caylon teas are

laid down in England and other countries

much cheaper than the Chinese article, they

will be more and more used as mix-

tea must fall off. There will always, of

1,336,660 1,352,259 Straits 270.091 152.158 Australia, New From As a Wash it is cooling, cleansing and Zealand, &c To 🐎 2,100,950 3,140,525 South Africa From & Mauritius To 187,863 269,221 93,120 1,146,667 British Ame- From 128,180 265,093 3,398,390 3,145,712 United States South Ameri- From Cont. of Eu-2,587,548 2,953,552 11,545,406 12,914,983 excepted Russia: Odes- From 232,082 sa by Sea To 1,313,677 1,926,759 Russia & Sibi- From riavia Kiakhta To 5,701,981 4,699,421 Russian Man- From 118,194 176,459 706,844 churia \mathbf{T}_0 633,395 18,350 From 72,143 HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3, 1889. Korea 182,063 244,735 From 5,565,305 5,774,812 We gave yesterday the report of Mr E. Japan 2,1:3,137 3,162,158 McKean, Statistical Secretary of the Im-From 1,365,046 3,484,668 perial Maritime Customs, on the foreign 1,537,507 1,629,516 trade of China in 1888—a report which is | Philippine Is- From 68,196 68,402 well worth studying by all interested in the 288,505 314,247 Cochin-China, From 337,805 foreign trade of China. As we hinted be-Touking & To fore, the figures do not show that there has been much expansion in the trade. Im- Siam 54,003 381,844 357,658 ports increased in value from Tls. 94,624,613 Java and Su- From 99,394 in 1887 to Tis. 105,661,375 in 1888, but two-381,483 fifths of this increase is accounted for by Turkey in Athe import of opium through the Foreign aia, Persia, From 157,975 Egypt, Al- To 277,775 259,103 Customs at Kowloon and Lappa, which geri, Aden only commenced in June 1887, after the Sandwich Is- From passing of the Opium Ordinance in Hong-Thus only half of 1887 bene-TELEGRAMS. fited by the change, while the whole of 1888 was affected. We find also that the (From Singapore Papers.) abnormal quantity of rice shipped from Hongkong to Canton during last year ENGLAND AND GERMANY. London, March 25 .- Count Herbert Bis. accounts for more than the balance of the marck is now in London on a special misincrease. The normal import trade theresion. It is believed that it is for the purfore showed no expansion during 1888. pose of arriving at an agreement with regard to Colonial matters. Cotton yarn is the only article in which any marked progress is reported, and ELECTION INTELLIGENCE. A Gladstonian has been elected for Goralthough complete statistics are not given, ton, South East Lancashire, by a majority the imports at Shanghai would seem to show that this increase has been entirely in Indian yarn, which, it is supposed, now forms about two-thirds of the whole stonian, and in 1886 had a majority of 457. quantity imported. There is a growing

The new member succeeds the late Mr. Richard Peacock, iron founder and civil engineer. Mr Peacock was also a Glad-

Bellona, 22; Ajax, Bayern, Euphrates, Zambesi, Mar. 6; Diomed, Hesperia, Westmeath, 12; Riversdale, Namyon,

15; Delication, Glenacon, 19; Glen-

Glaucus, 26. The Canadian Pacific S. S. Co. astr. Batavia

he O. S. S. Co.'s steamship Lacries, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the 29th about the 5th inst.

The B. P. R. steamer Niche, from Ham-Day's et Singapore on the Sist ulto.

and the se expected here on or about
the 6th that.

The Glen Line steamship Glenshiel, from London, left Singapore on the 3rd or about the 9th inat. The steamship Mogel, from Liverpool, left

on the 23nd ulto

might aurely in some cases be produced cheaper in these lands than it can be imported. Ohina's sons abroad also seem to rely on the mother country for their boots and shoes, taking two million tacks worth lust year. The shipping stalistics correspond with those of Hongkong in showing a slight shrinkage, the greatest decrease being in will show :-Flag. English . Tons: 14,069,260 Chinese..... 5,508,178 5,547,170 German 1,480,083 1.570.035 Јарапезе 306,166 281,900 French 180,890 268,644 Danish 95,950

American 84,455 Russian 72,050 Swed. & Norw. 41,917 Spanish 38,471 Dutch 20,365 11,160 Belgian 10,396 Siamese Italian 1,138 Portugueso`... Hawaiiau..... Korean Austro-Hung

Total,...... 22,037,716 22,110,500 Our trade, however, with China has increased, as the table below will show. The large increase for Hongkong is accounted for to a considerable extent by the change made by the Opium Ordinance.

Bk. Tls. Hk. Tls. Great Britain From 25,666,477 30,392,655 To 16,482,809 16,700,961 From 57,761,039 69,840,746 Hongkong To 31,393,189 33,551,518 From 5,537,375 6,627,879 797,670 1,036,843 Singapore & From 1,391,169 2,040,610

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Passed Suez Canal TOTWARD BOUND :- Badsworth, Feb. 19; Spindrift, 22; Wakefield, March 5; Guy Mannering, Nantes, 8; Palamed, 12; Iser, Benalder, 15; Breconshire, Orestes. Monarch; Caledonien, 19; Glenartney, VEWARD BOOND :- Duke of Westminster,

eagles, Strathleven, 22; Dardanus. left Vancouver for Japan, &c., on the 19th instant.

ulto,, and may be expected here on or The Anstro-Hungarian Lloyd S. N. Co.'s steamship Pandora, from Trieste, left Singapore on Sist citimo, and may be expected here on or about the 6th.

The O.S.S. Co.'s e.s. Palinerus, from Lavor. pool, left Singapore on the 30th ulto... and may be expected here on or about

inst., and may be expected here on Singapore on the Srd inst., and may be expected here on or about the 10th

tures, especially for consumption by the poorer classes, and the demand for Chinese The s.s. Thibet left Bombay for this port

With Hypophosphites of Lime & Soda.

H.M.S. Orontes is expected to arrive here to-morrow.

MESSIS Adamson, Bell and Co. inform us that the a. a. Mogul, from Liverpool, left A CORRESPONDENT wrote to us the other day Singapore this morning for this port.

Inspector Swanston and a body of Police intended abandonment of the mint, -- as folpaid an unexpected visit to several thieves lows :- The mint is located outside of the dens at Wong-nei-chong early this morning, Rast wall of the city, between the Home and succeeded in capturing a dozen men for the Blind, on the South, and the Home who are alleged to have made a burglarious for Aged Women, on the North. It occupies attack on a house at Stanley recently. about 15 acres of ground, and the buildings Some of the men were found in possession are all in plain but substantial style. of articles stolen from the house in ques- Water is pumped into an elevated reservoir tion. The alleged leader of the gang was and from this supplies the works. The arrested by the Inspector a little later, in a | machinery is from Messrs Ralph Heaton & lodging-house in Graham Street. The case | Sons, Birmingham. There are 96 machines came before Mr Pollock to-day and was re- for stamping cash with a capacity of two manded.

Another robbers is reported to have been design at present is to coin cash only, 'but committed in the Hongkong Hotel last samples of the proposed silver dollar and night, five rooms having been entered by a | fractions of a dollar are to be seen at the thief, or thieves, and a considerable mint. The dollar weighs seven mace and amount of property stolen, belonging to three candarcens, 1000 cash are tiqual to three persons living in the house. In one this dollar. Many reports are in circulation case money and jewellery amounting in all as to the plans of the Viceroy. The bund to the value of about £1.00 were carried off. along the river front is, no doubt, to be points to the probability of an ex-| creasing number of small steamers in the port and daring band of thieves being at service of the Government make the daily work in the colony, and residents ought to coming and going of the Hongkong steamers see very carefully to the securing of their agreat nuisance; and if the steamer landhouses against n cturnal intruders.

Company's vessel Bonnie was brought be- or less on the water. fore Mr Pollock in the Police Court to-day charged with embezzling the sum of \$ | A CHINESE cook was brought before Mc the property of the Company. J. V. P. Jesus, book-keeper, said it was the defendant's duty to collect the certificate of hire the Cosmopolitan Dock, Kowloon, with last, at 3 p.m., the launch was hired by | wanted to go home to worship at the tomb that hour till 5 p.m. On Monday morning, give him permission. Mrs Smith said WAS \$5.50, as the launch was used from 3 had paid up to the 21st of February. dant to six weeks' hard labour.

instructed by the prisoners, and landed the bag. Mr Alfred Woolley, chief clerk in the alternative of a fortnight's hard labour. the P. & O. office, said that a quantity of opium was missed from the vessel question while she was lying alongside the wharf. The matter had come before the Court in Shanghai and three men employed on the steamer were committed for trial in connection with it. The Police here had also been informed of it and had made inquiries. The case was remanded till Monday.

Hongkong to the Front.—It is with much pleasure that we learn by the latest Indian mail of the educational successes achieved by an ex-pupil of St. Joseph's College, Hongkong, who proceeded two years back to Calcutta to prosecute higher studies. We refer to Joseph P. de Noronha Braga, who has won the Gold Medal or highest Roberts' College of that city. The medal Wilson at the College Prize Distribution held in the Dalhousie Institute on the 5th March last. Young Braga was also awarded a special prize in Latin, in recogin it within the course of one year-having promised to be a long and brilliant scholatic career. His friends and relatives are. however, to be congratulated on the result so far obtained, and Hongkong should feel proud of the distinctions won by one of her school-boys.

Or late shark fishing has been unusually successful on the Java Coast. The flesh of these creatures, hard and tough as it is, finds ready sale as an article of food. Salted and dried, it answers among the natives as relish to rice. Sharks' fine also meet demind among the Chinese, who look upon them as strengthening diet.

port this morning.

from Canton-before the report as to the million per day. The cash are composed of copper, 6 parts, and spelter, 4 parts. The ings could be placed at the lower end of the city or at Whampon it would be a relief to THE Chinese coxwain of the Steam Launch | many of the people whose business is more

Pollock in the Police Court to-day charged, at the instance of Mrs Smith, residing at from any party who hired the launch, and leaving her service without giving due to collect the fares if the vessel was run- notice. The defendant admitted having ning in the ordinary way. On Saturday | left without notice, and stated that he Miss Lily Woodleaf, Gage Street, from of his ancestors, but Mrs Smith would not witness asked defendant for the certificate defendant had been in her employ since of hire, but instead of delivering that docu- 19th January has as cook, and was getting has followed suit, although in a much less ment defendant handed over \$4 as the \$3 a month as wages. She was in the amount received for hire, stating that this habit of paying another servant on the 21st was all he got. Witness wrote to Miss of the month, and she made the same rule of Bulgaria might not have hoped at one Woodleaf telling her that the amount payable with regard to the defendant, whom she to 5 p.m. Miss Woodleaf replied that she had | the 19th of March her 'boy' told her that paid \$5, which defendant denied. Miss the cook wanted to go away for three or Woodleaf stated in evidence that she paid four days to Canton, and wanted to get his \$5, that defendant wanted more, and that | wages then. Complainant said she would she told him she would pay the balance, not pay the wages until they were due and if there was any, to his employers, as she that the cook, who had only been two had no small change.—His worship found | months in her service, could not be spared the charge proved, and sentenced the defen- then. The 'boy' next day said 'That cook must go; must ketchee money. Complainant said when the money was due

Two boatmen were brought before Mr he should have it, and if he wanted to go Pollock in the Police Court to-day charged | away he must give a month's notice. The with feloniously receiving a quantity of cook disappeared that evening, and comopium alleged to have been stolen from the plainant had not seen him again till she P. & O. s. s. Kaiser-i-Hind in the harbour | came into Court, nor did she know anvon the 7th March. The owner of a sampan | thing of his whereabouts until she got a gave evidence to the effect that he was summons for a month's wages. She then engaged by the prisoners to convey a parcel | brought this charge against him. -His in his boat from the mail steamer to Yau- | Worship : I don't think you are entitled to He was asked to take his boat a month's notice.—Complainant: I paid alongside, and a sack containing something | him monthly, and if I discharged him heavy was passed into the boat by the without notice he would ask for a month's prisoners. Witness asked what the sack | wayes .- His Worship : Has ever any sercontained, but was told to mind his own vant you have dismissed in that way asked business. He then pulled to Yau-ma-ti, as | for a month's wages !-- Complainant : Yes. -His Worship fined defendant \$3.50, with

of the Telephone Co. here, who is charged with embezzling several sums of money belonging to his employers, there has been a fine exhibition of judicial wisdom in the Police Court. Dowson was brought before Mr Pollock vesterday, and on admitting the charge was a lemnly sentenced to six months' imprisonment with hard labour. This might naturally be supposed to mean that the matter was settled. But morning the prisoner was again placed in the dock and charged with the same offence. Dowson repeated his plea of 'guilty,' remarking that he had been under the impression (a very natural one) that the case was finished yesterday. His Worship, however, now informed him with great award in the University Entrance Class of gravity that he intended to commit the case for trial, and read out the was handed to Braga by Sir Alexander formula in the Ordinance cautioning the prisoner with reference to any statement the purpos of purchasing and working he might, wish to make. Dowson said he had no desire to say anything, and the case | Pahang, one of the Protected States of the was then committed for trial. In the after- Malay Peninsula, granted by his Highness nition of the fact that he commenced the noon, the bewildered prisoner was once study of that language and completed the more placed in the dock, when his Worship requirements for University Matriculation said that as the presecution desired to bring may be found desirable, to sail or lease some evidence he should remand the case in the previous year selected the study of for hearing. The case has thus been twice French. Bruga had the further distinction | disposed of by the Magistrate, and he now of being the best mathematician in his proposes to hear it before disposing of it any more! In another case, that of the Hongkong and thus practically closes what man Julien, who was yesterday fined 850 with the alternative of two months hard The timber is of a very valuable nature, labour, for making a disturbance and using whilst the minerals are stated, on the threatening language on board the s. s. Chateau Le ville, his Worship gave a new decision to-day, reducing the fine to \$20. and the period of imprisonment to five weeks. Concerning Dowson's case, we understand, his Worship found, after sentencing the prisoner, that the date of the offence put it out of the power of a Police Magistrate to dispose of it otherwise than

by committing it for trial at the Supreme

Matheson & Co. that the steamer Glen- is a rumour that the Siamese Government for the convoyance of mails and passengers, and to be in connection with the English and French mails from Europe. This would perhaps be a boon to the general public, but it is doubtful policy on the part of any Government to engage in private business. The route in question also is already fully occupied by private steamers, and it would be unjust to the owners of these, and injurious to trade, if the Government were to compete with them.

> chance of a Chinese lawyer practising in the Courts at Batavia. This practitioner is the son of a Chinese headman at Buida, who went to Holland for study until he was admitted to the bar. He intends to come out and practice somewhere in Ne. THE N. I. S. N. Company are building of a lawyer. The Java Government has steamer will have a European steward. re, orted against the application, on the ground that, if granted, other Chisamon would also apply, to the inconvenience of Government, which has stendily discounof the population.

by way of the new wing to the building | vene. We hear of a ricksha road to | to the Throne, and his assuming personal arrest has yet been made in connection place, a railroad to Kowloon &c. The Board of Punishments has been directed by separate ward. All their food is prepared Shih and Kao, accordingly obtained from with the case. The frequency of such | narrow channel of the river in front of the | Imperial Decree that all prisoners throughcases in various parts of the city of late city, the multitude of boats, and the in- out the Empire, those who have already The recent trials of insurgent chiefs and grant of Tls. 15,000, with which they purreceived their sentences as well as those awaiting trial, shall receive a commutation of their penalties, to one or more degree in accordance with prescribed law. The various provincial anthorities have accordingly been directed by the Board of Punishment to carry out these instructions. The officers in charge of the autumnal assize have likewise been ordered by the President of the Board of War to see that those prisoners who are awaiting sentences of decapitation, strangulation, banishment, and transporta-. I tion have their penalties commuted to the prescribed degrees -Shih Pao.

> 'ALL for love, or the world well lost,' to borrow a title from an old play, might be inscribed upon the careers of two of the most prominent young men in modern Europe. The Crown Prince Rudolph, for the sake of the Baroness Votsers, sacrificed everything, his family, his succession of the Empire-Kingdom, and life itself. And now Prince Alexander of Battenberg tragic fashion. According to some ramours there was no position of power and dignity in Europe to which the ex-Prince time to aspire. Had the Emperor Frederick lived, Prince Alexander would , robably have married the Emperor's daughter, and there are even some who maintain that when Prince Bismarck retired he might have been succeeded as Chancellor of the Empire by the son in law of the Emperor. Now, for the sake of a pretty opera-singer he has sacrificed everything; he has laid aside his princely title, and as plain Count Hartenaw he is to live in scrict retirement for the rest of his life. Baroness Vetsera and Mdlle. Loisinger are the latest in the Holen of Troy and Delilah of Gaza, have world.—Pall Mall Gazette.

failed to elicit any definite information or the subject of the reported discovery of treasonable correspondence in Cashmere. except that, so far as is known, there is reason to distrust the allegation of personal complicity on the part of the Maharajah That certain letters have come into the hands of the Resident, Colonel Nisbet, which caused him to pay a visit to Jumm 20, appears to be correct; and it is also the fact that the source of the correspondence is the dismissed Dewan, Luchman Dass. the story of the Maharajah's refusal to deny complicity in the alleged conspiracy, and of a suggestion on his part that he should abdicate, resolves itself into a pr posal from His Highness -- who probably does not feel In the case of Harold Dowson, lately agent | very strong of purpose or equal to energetic action in the presence of unscrupulous intrigue-that the managen ent of State should be entrusted to a Council consisting of his brothers and other Cashmere notables whom he could trust. would be unwise to place too much reliance on letters obtained from a tainted source without very exhaustive investigation, Luchman Dass might prove to be as audacious and skilful an impostor as Mr. Richard Pigott; and the Times' discomfiture should act as a warning to everyhody not to trust documentary evidence without convincing this independent proof of its authenticity. lonel Nisbet is expected to arrive at Calcutta in a day or two, when we shall perhaps be able to obtain a clearer view of the real facts of the position.

> THE Pahang Exploration and Development Company (Limited) is a new company, with a capital of £22,000, in 220,000 shares of £1 each, of which 170,000 are now offered to the public at par; The company has, it is stated, been formed for three extensive concessions in the State of the Sultan of Pahang to Tan Hay Seng, of portions of various properties conceded as Yours. individuals, and to conduct trading operation in Pahang. The districts comprised in these concessions are estimated to cover an area of about 6.000 square miles, equal to 3.840,000 acres It is state the concessions probably comprise the largest and richest timber and mineral area ever offered to the public by a single company. authority of Captain Skewi, to consist of ion of the mind from worldly things at classes for which they were not qualified, tin and gold. We have frequently pointed leugth become sublimated into an ethereal are two considerable factors in the same out that there is gold on this side of the peninsula. £20,000 of the capital is to be turnoil of earth among the immortal ranks sequent on the delay in the completion of set saide as a subsidy to the contractors to of the genit. extend the Sungel Ulong Railway up to of Messrs. Hill and Rathbourne. The list will open on Tuesday, Feb. 26, at ten a.m.. Loudon and China Express

shiel, from London, left Singapore for this intend setting two fast and powerful steam- hitherto unsuccessfully, owing to outsiders the hunter, whose curiosity had been ferred I could wait no longer; Latin waore to run between Bangkok and Singapore, refusing to join the Ring, and proferging strongly excited by what he had heard, and accordingly introduced in 1887 and Shakearrive there from Saigon.

> Chinese holders. John Chinaman has to its inmates. proved equal to the occasion. Empty Devoc's tine were bought up, filled with the reason soon was noised about why that Classes II. and III. The whole Upper School American article.

therlands India. Not content with the twelve steamers in Europe for navigation success already achieved, he has applied purposes in the Indian Archipelago. These also to be naturalised as a Netherlander, vessels will be fitted up to meet the comthough that qualification is not required fort and convenience of passengers. Each

in the Hospital at Batavia with water from dient when money began to come in freely therefore supplied to the Inspector of tenanced the naturalisation of that section dependency of the Straits Settlements, have broary. It will be remembered that thir- containing the old numbers of the same been actively taken in hand at the sugges- teen districts of the Chow or Hien deno-Entrance is supposed to have been effected made, if too great obstacles do not inter- On account of the accession of His Majesty Netherlands India to study but mysterious grain for a new crop, as well as all their disease. The patients have to drink that agricultural implements, were lost to the water exclusively. Care is taken that people living over an area of 600 or 700 li. which is in process of completion. No Whampon, the removal of foreigners to that direction over the affurs of the Empire, the they follow this rule by keeping them in a General Tso Pac-kwei and the two Taotais,

> their followers in the province of Bantam. in Java, so says the Surabaya Courant, have | barley, including about one or two tenths came very near being a general rebellion. That catastrophe which would have resulted in the massacre of almost all the Euroshort work of the rebels whom they came Ts. 100,000 had been received from charitacross that discouragement spread in the able people abroad, of which Tis. 10,0 0 insurgent ranks. Upwards of 100 rebels now lie under sentence of death.

> General Van Teyn to the command in rive. The Maritime Sub-prefect Chang Acheen after consultation with the Gover- in charge of thethe distribution of the spring nor-General, draws from it the inference that the time for the evacuation of that hornet's nest has not yet come. General Van Tevn is known to be in favor of a more active policy against the Achinese. owing to beri-beri lessening in virulence. The Rome Government still fancy that the Achinese can be won over in time, and that.

CORRESPONDENCE

EDUCATION IN HONGKONG. To the Editor of the 'CHINA MAIL.'

Six. -Many thoughts crossed my mind

whilst reading, yesterday, the Inspector's

Hongkong, April 1, 1889.

report of the Schools of this Colony. your kind permission, I will express them. According to the figures given by the storeotyped official phrase -turbulent and Inspector, the public can see that the evil-disposed people of Fokien. Those long line of women who, from the days of Government pay vory liberally for the bewitching damsels in full bloom of youth, paid such judicious attention to the du teaching given in the Central School. who contrive to scrape an honest penny by infatuated the rulers and magnates of the Whereas the Mission Schools cost but \$3.89 | picking teas, came in also for a severe Dictation and Arithmetic were admirable. per pupil, the Government spends on the lecture. The system of their employment Central School \$19.53 per pupil, and with in the different native ton hongs beyond the interest of the palace which is nearly the bridge, is condemned in no measured THE Indian Daily News, of 13th March, finished one may say \$29, instead of \$19. | terms, as it is alloged that many of the fair says :- Inquiries at the Foreign Office have | Pray, don't believe that I am one of those | but frail ones are thereby led astray. who do not like to see the people instructed,—far from it; but I believe that the tombs take place on the 5th of the 3rd Government is not obliged to tax people to | moon, (4th April), and all teamen will, after maintain a Superior School in which a that date, prepare to go up country for the collegiate instruction is given gravis; an new leaf. We hope last season's lesson is elementary one only should be given on still fresh in their memory. above terms. If Mr So and So wishes that his son should acquire a first rate instruction let him pay for same. To give him it free is squandering the revenue of the Colony What! the Missionaries can have good schools with \$1.89 per pupil, and the Government spend, all comprised, \$29! that is not a real anomaly, there is nothing of the kind in this world. In my humble opic in, it seems to me that, when the boys know how to read, write and cipher—that is up to the 6th standard—they should not be taught gratis any more. Those who desire to learn Mathematics, Latin etc. should pay for the higher instruction. Why should the rate-payers be taxed to maintain sous of well-to-do shop-keepers in school? I:stead of such a produgality Government might be more libera towards the payment of the results at the annual examinations. The Government Inspector shows himself somewhat strangely towards our poor Lusitanians by stating that they withdraw their children from school before they are thoroughly instructed in the higher branches of learning. If all our youngsters were becoming Doctors, should we better off Besides, why propose to change the class of those who move in an humble position? Surely it would not be to the advantage of many a young man? Our Portuguese youths make good clerks; they are docile, obedient and trustworthy generally. They seem to be quite satisfied in their position. It happens, sometimes, that the expenditure of an important sum raises a great storm in the papers; whereas for years past there has been perfect silence about he unnecessary expense of paying for the schooling of Chinese pupils where parents could largely afford to pay for them. Pray where will you find another Colony spending for each boy \$19.53 (or rather \$29). hope that a pea more authorized than mine will have something to say in behalf of the ratepayers, to show the public generally, 1888,... that those who desire a very high degree of instruction should look to their pockets Singapore, to develop and work such and not to those of their neighbours.-

AN OBSERVER.

NOTES FROM NATIVE PAPERS.

In uncient times there was a Taoist temple or rather monastery, called the Temple of the White Tiger, from which every year on and one Chinese assistant has been further a certain night one Tao priest used to mys- absent on sick leave for two months before teriously duappear; the story going that the examination; the forced promotion of each missing priest had in his turn, by fast. boys into classes for which they were not ing, ascetisism, contemplation, and abstract. | yet fitted, and the admission of others into being, dwelling far above the dust and result, due to lack of accommodation con-

and through the company's territory, monastery, and craved hospitality for the circumstances.

have been trying to corner rice owing to bedoutside, as best he could, à la belle étoile. | passed however and the opening of that the scarcity of that grain it Java, but As the dawn was just beginning to break, building seemed likely to be indefinitely deindividual action as being more remoners, who had, when not dozing off in a half- speare and Trigonometry in 1888. In the tive. Experience there shows that a sleep, kept his eyes fixed on the temple past year, Latin (including Casar Book I syndicate to monopolise rice has less gateway, heard slow growl, and saw a large in Class I) was taught with very gratifying chance of success than one to corner petro- | tiger spring in through the gate, (which had | results to 136 boys as against 69 boys year. Petroleum requires fixed storing been left open to facilitate the expected The papers on King John in Class LA were places, but rice can be stored anywhere, anothorsis of him who should have best good, in the main, some six or eight would and lies open to freer competition. Mean-merired the change), and emerge with a have passed in the Local Examinations. while heavy shipments of grain continue to poor priest in his enormous jaws. The English History and L fin were added to the tiger a formidable blow on the suout; Class IIIB. Ar Surabaya, so says the local Courant, the tiger dropped the man, and fled. The | 5. In anticipation of the early transfer stocks of Batoum petroleum cannot be unfortunate priest was, however, at his last to Victoria College, several changes were THE Java Bode learns that there is some moved off; owing to the projudice against gasp; the hunter carried the dying man made at the beginning of 1888. The it checking demand, to the detriment of into the temple, and related the adventure school fees were, with the permission of

EXPERIMENTS in treating beri-beri patients. It was found fessible to abandon this expetion of a Japanese expert who lately visited | minations were inundated; and the seed. the Military and ivil Governors, a brought to light the fact that the rising of other grain, and distributed it to the distressed districts for the sowing, as a loan from the Government. No assistance has been given by the Government towards peans in the province, was prevented by the purchas; of agricultural implements. timely action on the part of the military in On the 17th February the Commissioner the field. A handful of soldiers made such of Customs amounced that a sum of over would be distributed locally, Tls. 4, 00 in Tien-chwang-thi and neighbourhood, the remaining Tis. 6,600 when the money to be sent from Shanghai, for assistance to the THE Java Bode, in noticing the return of poor people during the spring, should ar-

FOOUHOW.

seed bariey mentioned above. -Shên Pao.

The following items are from the Foochow deems that the situation in Acheen has | Echo of 30th March : - The working of the lately changed materially for the better. Shanghai-Foodhow line of steamers by the two companies certainly leaves very much to be desired in the way of regularity and | master has not yet arrived we have. accommodation for European passengers. | above stated, been for over six month if only awaited long enough, friendly ap. The s. s. Hassiin was circulated two days shorthanded. proaches on their Art will be sure to come ago as having all her first class cabins | 8. The staff of masters has sustained i in the end. Vigorous offensive tactics by occupied by thinese, and we hear that next established character for thoroughness an the General may hasten the good time week there will be no Indo-China steamer activity. The facts connected with each cathing at this port. A little healthy case justify me in particularising three opposition would certainly do good in this masters. Mr Jameson succeeded in raising direction, even if only to provide decent the boys of Class III d to such a degre accommodation for the numerous visitors | that in spite of their coming from low

> The irrepressible Viceroy of this province, in order not to be ontdone by the Class V. (VII. last year) as good results exertions of the Road Trust Committee in | were obtained from Class V. last year, the that direction, has again come to the fore with another proclamation, dealing with three other shortcomings of the-to use a The usual yearly respects to the ancestral

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE-HEAD MASTER OF THE GOVERN-MENT CENTRAL SUHOUL

FOR 1888. (Presented to the Legislative Council, by Command of His Excellency the 🤞 Governor.)

GOVERNMENT CENTRAL SCHOOL, Hongkong, 25th January, 1889. Sir .- I have the honour to forward the Annual Report on this School for 1888. 1. The total number of boys on the hole for the past year was 634. Owing to the School's being clused ten days refore the usual Winter Vacation on account of the prevalency of Small-pox in the Colony, the School was only open for 229 days. 2. To illustrate the condition of the Schools during the last five years the

MONTHLY

following table is annexed :--

Уван.	Total Number of	Number c School Day	Enroi	Average Daily Attendance		
	Total	Numb School	Maxi- mum.	Mini- mum.	Atten	
1884,	558	236	462	362	411	
.885,		238	499	382	437	
886,	610	238	5D7	419	446	
887,	601	234	525	417	449	
t 8 83,	634	229	536	384	467	
Xear.	Number of School Boys		2		of each	•
1884,			4,981		48	
1885,			5,273	29.	45	
L886,	405	94.81	5,422	26.		
l 887,		97.65	5,547	26.		
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ANNUAL EXAMINATION. 3. The results of the English examination

as adjudged by me for prize purposes, are highly creditable, and in some cases, as in Classes I.d., II.d., V and VII deserve percentage of passes, 94 as opposed to 97 last year, is perhaps chiefly attributable to the following causes; one English master has been wanting on the staff for six months. Victoria College. Classes IB, IIIB, and

Amongst the directors we notice the names night, but it was refused. On asking the 4. In 1883, when as Acting Inspector of ever much to be regretted that owing to an of Sir Fred. A. Weld, late Governor of the reason why, he was told that this was the Schools, I was associated with the present unaccountable delay an the erection of the Straits Settlements, and Mr Thos. H. Hill. fateful night when one priest, found to be Colonial Secretary to draw up the Schedule Latrines and Coolie Quarters, there seems the most unworldly of the fraternity, would for the Government Scholarships, in in. at present little likelihood of the new be removed from the midst of his comrades serting the subjects. Latin, Shakespeare, Scholestic year boin; opened in the new | half, I lighted to wearest, a passing abover. and will close for London and the and sear to join the geni, and that no Chemistry, do, I was actuated by the hope building. The delay of a month or two in a manual, a night within their consecrated walls. So be in factoria College, when I purposed the new boys will have a tendency to may we have to make the tendent tendent tendent to the new boys will have a tendency to may will have a tendency to may be in factoria delication.

brave hunter's sword was out in an instant, the work of Class IIIA; and English History and almost simultaneously he had smitten | Composition, Euclid and Algebra to that of

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6. In June last, the School suffered a severe loss through the sudden death from heart disease of the Second Master, Mr Alexander Falconer, who had nearly completed twenty years of service. With a natural aptitude for the duties of his profession, aided by zealous application to such studies as should render his services the more valuable to the school. Mr Falconer had become a model Second Master. By his skilful and patient treatment of the various characters of his scholars. Chinese and others, and by his devotion of time and labour to further the interests of the school. he afforded a sterling though unpretentious example to junior masters. Of his relations to myself I can speak in the heartiest terms, and his loyalty to the late Head Master. Dr Stewart, is well known in the Colony. The term professor is not so generally used in English as in American schools, otherwise Mr Falconer might have accurately been termed-the Professor of English Grammar and Composition, for his skill in importing

view' bears testimony to his scholarship. 7. Mr. A. J. May, Senior Assistant Mastor, was appointed Second Master, and application was made to fill up the vacar Assistant Mastership. As however the ne

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> Junior candidates, four of these passe viz.: Wong Fan, Abdool Hoosen, H Man-ying and Wan Tsung iu; the two la being over the age of 17 could not recai University Certificates, but have bee provided by the Local Committee wi statements of their success in the Examin tion as recorded in the Tables published the Syndicate. By private advice from the Secretary to the Syndicate, I am informed that Wong Fan was placed in the higher division of the Pass List and received the mark distinguished for Algebra and Geography, Hoosen obtaining the same mark for Arithmetic. Of our two Senior candidates one failed badly, the other Cheung Tsoi was again checked in Scripture, passing in Old Testament, but failing in the Gospel.

CAMBRIDGE LOCAL EXAMINATIONS.

9. In December, 1887, we sent up a

OXFORD LOCAL EXAMINATIONS.

10. This examination was held in the Colony for the first time in July last. I introduced it as an experiment to afford our pupil Teachers the opportunity of obtaining the quasi-degree of Associate in Arts. Six candidates were presented for the Senior examination. Three obtained certificates: Wong Fan, aged 16, and Francisco Hyndman, aged 17, were declared Associates in Arts of the University of Oxford, but Cheung Tsoi, the third candidate, being over 19 was not eligible for this further distinction. We therefore now have two Pupil Teachers, shortly to become Chinese Assistants in the C llege. whose attainments have received the impri-

matur of Oxford University, 11. To Victoria College, constating of boys many of whom are older than is usually the case in achools, considerable advantages are offered by the Uxford practice which is to give pass certificates irrespective of age, to all candidates who satisfy Examiners appointed by the Delegates; reserving on the other hand all distinctions to such as pass before they attain a certain limit of age, 16 for Juniors and 19 for Semora. It is moreover interesting to observe from the results obtained by Wong Fan and Cheung True in both examinations that the standard of the Oxford and Cambridge Local Examinations is identical; and forther that the standard of excellence at this school corresponds with both, for Cheung Taoi was Morrison Scholar in 1887; Wong Fan in 1888; and Abdool Hoosen, with Hyndman as proxime accessit, in 1889.

COVERNMENT SCHOLLRSHIP. 12. I was much disappointed at not be. Manila.... ing able to present any candidates for the Biennial Competition for the Government Scholarship. The three boys, who might | Sea, and for S. W. winds in Northern Chira. have passed a creditable examination, are Cloudy, cold and damp weather prevails. naturally the three named above. Unfortunately however none of these was available : one below the minimum of sys ; auother wanting two or three months of three venta' School attendance required; and the father of the third objecting to his son's going to England.

13. Nothing happens but the unexpected It is therefore perhaps not a matter for One night a belated hunter arrived at the VI proved the chief sufferers from these surprise that the transfer to Victoria College has not yet been effected. It is how-

We are informed by Messrs Jardine, The Siam Mercantile Gazette says:—There Ar Surabaya a number of Chinese traders, the disappointed huntsman had to make his introducing these as class subjects. As time the success of the school work of the year I have the honour to be, Sir, Your most obedient Servant, GEO. H. BATESON WRIGHT, M. A., Head Master. ne lion. Frederick Stewart, LL.D. Colonial Secretary. de. de.

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Daily News. 'A substantia and reliable Remove which all students of China and the Chinese would do well to patronice.'-Chrosenthemum. 'The November-December number of the China Review contains less variety than usual, but the few articles are very interesting. The opening paper by Mr Herbert week later than by the ordinary direct route | A. Giles on "The New Testament in Chinese" treats of a question that must neces-For further Particulars regarding sarily be of great importance in the eyes of all missionaries. . . Mr E. H. Parker's "Short Journeys in Szechuen" are continued, and a goodly instalment of these travels in the interior of China is given. Mr F. H. Balfour contributes a paper of some length entitled "The Emperor Cheng, founder of the Chinese Empire," which will be read with genuine interest by students of Chinese history. A few short notices of New Books and a number of Notes and Queries, one of which "On Chinese Oaths in Western Borneo and Java" might appropriately have been placed under a separate heading, complete

the number.'-H.K. Daily Press.

Trubner's Oriental Record contains the

following notice of the China Keriew:-

The present publication, judging by the

number now before us, is intended to occupy a position, as regards China and the neighbouring countries, some what similar to that which has been filled in India by the Culcutta Review. The great degree of attention that has been bestowed of late years upon the investigation of Chinese literature. antiquities, and social developments, to say nothing of linguistic studies, has led to the accumulation of important stores of information, rendering some such channel of publicity as is now provided extremely desirable; and contributions of much interest may fairly be looked or from the members of the foreign consular services, the Chinese Customs' corps, and the missionary body. among whom a high degree of Chinese scholarship is now assiduously cultivated, and who are severally represented in the first number of the Review by papers highly creditable to their respective authors . . . Some translations from Chinese novels and plays are marked by both accuracy and fresh dess of style; and an account of the career of the Chinese post-statesman of the elevent gentury, Su Tung-p'o, by Mr. E. C. Bowra is not only historically valuable, but is also distinguished by its literary grace. Beside notices of new books relating to China and the East, which will be a useful feature of the Review, if carried out with punctualit detail, we are glad to notice that

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Name	Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	I.H.P.	Captain.	Where at
Alacrity	despatch-vessel	1700	4	3180	Com. R. Blair Maconochie	Amoy
Cockchafe-	gunbeat 2nd class	465	1 4	470	LieutCom. Everard Maxwell	Hongkong
Conquest	cruiser	2380	<u>-</u>	l — I	Captain Chas. Le Oxley	Hongkong
Социалое	cruiser 3rd class	2380	14	2590	Capt, L. C. Keppel	Shanghai
Cordelia	cruiser 3rd class	2380	10	2420	Captain Henry H. Boys	Hongkong
Sok	g-to, 3rd class coast defence:	363	3	∫ 34±0		In reserve
Kapou	gunboat 2nd class	465	4	470	LieutCom. Reginald Y. Smith	Hongkong
Firebrand	gunboai 2nd clasa	455	4	460	LieutCom. Denison	Shanghai
Heroine	cruicer 3rd class	1420	8	1130	Captain Chas. J. Balfour	Singapore
Hyacinth	cruiser	1420	<u> </u>	l — 1	Captain Wm. A. Dyke Acland	Hongkong
Impérieuse*	twinscrew battle ship	8400	10	10000	Captain William H. May	Hongkong
Leander	eruisor 2nd class	430 0	10	5500	Captain M. J. Dunlop	Hongkong
Lärinet .	gun-vesse 2nd class	75ü	5	1050	Commander Smythies	Singapore
Merlin	gunboa: 2nd class	430	· 4	430	Lieut. Com. G. H. Yonge	Hongkong
Mntine	gools	1130	10	1120	Commander J. H. Martin	Shanghai
Orion	twin-screw battle ship } 2nd class armored	4870	4	4040	Captain Hy. J. Carr	Singapore
Porpoise	cruiser	1730	6	3500	Commander R. W. White	Hongkong
Rambier	surveying vessel	830	3	690	Capt. The Hon. F. C. Vereker	On a cruise
Kattler	gunboat 1st class	715	6	1200	LieutCom. W. Maitl. Dougall	Shanghai
Sappnire	cruiser 3rd class	1970	12	2360	Captain W. C. Karslake	Singapore
Satellite	crniser 3rd class	1420	8	1400	Captain T. P. W. Nesham	Yokohama
Solent	torpedo mining launch	150		! !	<u> </u>	Rongkong
₹wift	gnn-vessel 2nd class	756	Ó	1010	Com. The Hon. Richard Bingham	Hongkong
Torpedo Boat No. 35		95	—	<u> </u>		lu reserve
Torpedo Boat No. 36		95	i —	<u> </u>		In reserve
Tweed	g-bt. 3rd class coast defence		3	1 —		In reserve
Victor Spiancie	receiving ship	5157	14	j . 	Commodore E J. Church	Hongkong
Wanderer ·	sloop	925	4	750	Commander Geo. A. Giffard	Singapore
Warerm	coast defeuceship, armoured	2750	4	1450	 [Hongkong

* Flagship of Vice-Admiral Sir Nowell Salmon, K.C.B., V.C., Commander-in-Chief.

P. H. B. M. Ships' tonnage, displacements and effective horse powers are given according to B. M. Navy list.

Foreign Men-of-war on the Chi a and Japan Station.

creditable to their respective authors	Name.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Guns,	H.P.	Captain.	Where at.
Some translations from Chinese novels and			 	ļ ———			
plays are marked by both accuracy and fresh-	Alcout	Russian gunboat	800			Captain Parenego	Nagasaki
desa of style; and an account of the career of	•	Spanish cruiser	1903		*	Captain A. Soler	Hongkong
the Chinese poet-statesman of the eleventh	1	French gunboat	470	1 4	450	Commander Malopert	Shanghai
gentury, Su Tung-p'o, by Mr. E. C. Bowra,	Bobre	Russian cruiser	1100			Captain Menschicoff	Nagazaki
is not only historically valuable, but is also	Manaka d	French gunboat	475	4	450	LieutCommander Martel	Quinhon
distinguished by its literary grace. Beside	i		640	7 1			
notices of new books relating to China and	Dolphin	U. S. despaich-vessel	1	1 . ***		Captain Geo. F. F. Wilde	Hongkong
the East, which will be a useful feature of	Utus	German gunboat	489		405	Captain Eickstedt	Chemulpo
the Review, if carried out with punctuality	Lutio	Fromh gunboar	485	4	.425	Captain Nény	Touron
and detail, we are glad to notice that	Marion	U. S. corvette	1900	- 7	1170	Commander Dye:	Amoy
'Notes' and 'Queries' are destined to	aronocacy	U. S. aloop	1370	6	1470	LieutCom. Henry Glass	Yokohama
find a place in its pages also. It is to be	Mord,	Russian gunboat	455	7	60	Commander Moltaoff	Corea
hoped that this opening for contributions		Russian cruiser	1330	9	250	Captain Zarine	Nagazaki
on Chinese subjects may evoke a similar	Omsha	U. S. corvette	2400	12	1150	Capt. McNair	Shanghai
degree of literary seal to that which was	Palos	U.S. gunboat	420	6	500	Lieut, Com. Craig	Kobe
displayed during the lifetime of its preda-	Parseval	French gunboat		—		Captain M. Foret	Shanghai
cessor in the field, and that the China Review	1 A.	French gunboat	54 0		420	LieutCommander Fourest	On a cruise
censor in the new, and that the Canal Action	Rio Lima	Portuguese gunboat	540		1	Captain J. R. Santa Barbara	Macao
may receive the support necessary to insure	Sivotch	Russian cruiser	900	1	1000	Commander Sucurieff	Corea
its continuance.	Sobo	Russian gunboat	455	7	60	Commander Boyle	Japan 5
	Sophie	German cruiser	2100			Captain Kohlhauer	Singapore
Mr. Andrew Wind.	L	Portuguese gunboat	500	3	100	Lieut. Com. C. R. Caminha	Macao
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atheirs to make Charitims		French gunboat	480	4	425	Commander Gondot	Saigon
authorized to receive Subscriptions,		Ruadan corvette	2950	12		Captain Makaroff	Singapore
Advertisements, &c., for the China Mail.		Russian gunboat	-	4		Commander Molchonsky	Vlamvietock
Overland China Mail, and China Review,	Welt	German gunbost	384	6	340	Captain Gredner	Manila
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